

Message

From: Ho, Yenhung [Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov]
Sent: 4/19/2021 10:31:32 PM
To: Rebecca Hollis [rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com]
CC: Albright, David [Albright.David@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Rebecca,

We are glad that the issue has been resolved.

Regards,
Calvin

From: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>
Sent: Monday, April 19, 2021 3:17 PM
To: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Dear Calvin,

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. I have removed the image from the GSDT.


I spoke to SEI's counsel today on the subject. She reviewed the image as well as their substantiation to the EPA and believes the image, alone, would not breach their confidentiality provisions. That is, because the image – an aerial view of the 2d seismic lines with shotpoints – was not released in conjunction with other data/derivatives, she does not feel a party could reverse engineer/make use the data. So, I believe we are OK with the files posted.

This was an honest mistake but I will ensure we do not have any issues going forward.

Thank you again and please let me know if you have any questions.

Best Regards,
-Rebecca

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From: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 16, 2021 5:11 PM
To: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Rebecca,

All the files uploaded to the FOIA online were contained in a zip file folder that was downloaded from the GSDT. We understand that all information uploaded to GSDT by CES is non-confidential.

I will need to talk to our FOIA officer to see if the files you mentioned below can be removed or redacted.

Regards,
Calvin

From: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>
Sent: Friday, April 16, 2021 4:51 PM
To: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Calvin,

I was just looking at the files on the FOIA online site and notice that there is one Figure that should be CBI included in a few of the attachments; specifically the image on page 1 of:

- Permeability--image
- Porosity--image
- Rock--types--image

Not sure where the mix up was but is there a way to remove or redact this image?

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,
-Rebecca

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From: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, August 4, 2020 4:40 PM
To: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Rebecca,

Here is how you can find the FOIA request mentioned during our call yesterday. No information that CES claimed confidential was released in response to the FOIA request. Let us know if you have questions.

1. Go to <https://foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home>
2. Search for EPA-R9-2020-004854

Regards,
Calvin

From: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>
Sent: Wednesday, July 29, 2020 12:02 PM
To: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>; 'Natalie Nowiski' <NNowiski@slb.com>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Calvin, David,

We have confirmed with our 3rd Party Data suppliers, i.e. SEI and IHS, that their counsel are available and will attend the call (virtual meeting) on Aug 3, from 3 to 4 pm (Pacific).

Please advise if you would like me to set up the meeting (Microsoft Teams invite) or if EPA will arrange. Either way, we can forward the invite to the appropriate parties.

Thank you again and looking forward to the discussion.

Best Regards,
-Rebecca

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From: Rebecca Hollis
Sent: Wednesday, July 22, 2020 10:01 AM
To: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>; Natalie Nowiski <NNowiski@slb.com>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Thank you for the prompt response, Calvin.

I will reach out to our contacts at our third-party data suppliers to verify this day/time works. If so, I will send out a Teams meeting invite.

Thanks again and talk soon!

Regards,

-Rebecca

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From: Natalie Nowiski <NNowiski@slb.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 21, 2020 1:30 PM

To: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>; Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>

Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: [Ext] RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Rebecca,

That works for me.

Calvin and David – look forward to virtually meeting you then!

Best regards,
Natalie

From: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, July 21, 2020 1:23 PM

To: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>

Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>; Natalie Nowiski <NNowiski@slb.com>

Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Rebecca,

We propose to have this call on Aug 3, 3-4pm if that works for your teams.

Regards,
Calvin

From: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 21, 2020 9:44 AM

To: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>

Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>; Natalie Nowiski <NNowiski@slb.com>

Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Calvin,

I hope this email finds you well.

I wanted to follow up on our discussion regarding confidential business information included in our Mendota Project Class VI Permit application (Pre-Construction). More specifically, how it will be treated in the ongoing stages of the permitting process, including any public hearings that may be required. We are now in contact with the legal teams from our 3rd party data suppliers, e.g. SEI, IHS, etc., so could set up a call with all parties if you'd prefer. Is there a day/time in the next week or two that works best for you and potentially EPA's Office of Regional Counsel?

On a separate but related topic, we also have a few clarifying questions as to how the environmental review requirements under NEPA will be met / conducted during the Class VI permitting process. We can cover this on the same call, at the end of the CBI discussion perhaps, or could set up a separate call to discuss. Please let me know your thoughts.

Thanks again, Calvin. Looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Best Regards,
-Rebecca

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From: Ho, Yenhung <Ho.Yenhung@epa.gov>
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To: Rebecca Hollis <rhollis@cleanenergysystems.com>
Cc: Albright, David <Albright.David@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Confidential_Narrative with CBI_CES-Mendota

Hi Rebecca,

I was able to access the file with the password you provided.

We would treat this information as confidential unless we make a determination that it is not in the future (there will be a process that involves both EPA and CES actions if such a determination needs to be made – this is the subject of our upcoming conference call).

Thanks again for your assistance and patience.

Calvin

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